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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Dear Assistant Commissioner,

Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated November 8, 2000. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0251 in the amount of \$390.00 for the extension fee. An amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action accompanies this petition.

Please charge any additional fees due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0251.

Respectfully submitted,

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